GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Public Services – Panchayat Raj & Rural Development Department – Irregularities in "Providing BT to the Road from Medikonduru to Varagani (via) Velevarthipadu, Saripudu, Siripuram in Medikonduru Mandal" in Guntur District - Disciplinary proceedings initiated against Sri S. Govardhan Reddy, Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Guntur and (2) others - Appointment of Sri Lingaraj Panigrahi, IAS., Commissioner of Inquiries, General Administration Department as Enquiry Officer and the Superintending Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Guntur as Presenting Officer, under Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 – Orders – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.IA) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 558

Dated: 07-04-2012

Read the following:-

- 1. General Administration (V&E) Dept., Vigilance Report No.82 (C.No.1449/V&E/E2/2007-1), dt. 19.07.2010.
- 2. G.O.Rt.No.362, PR&RD (Vig.IA) Dept., dt. 15.03.2011.
- 3. G.O.Rt.No.363, PR&RD (Vig.IA) Dept., dt. 15.03.2011.
- 4. G.O.Rt.No.364, PR&RD (Vig.IA) Dept., dt. 15.03.2011.
- 5. Written Statement of Defence of Sri S. Goverdhan Reddy, EE, PRI Division, Guntur, dt. 27.06.2011.
- 6. Written Statement of Defence of Sri M.V. Mallikarjuna Rao, Dy.EE, PR, Projects Sub-Division, Nallapadu, Guntur, dt. 27.06.2011.
- 7. Written Statement of Defence of Sri M. Sai Babu, AEE, PR, Vig.&QC Sub-Division, Khammam, dt. 30.06.2011.
- 8. G.O.Rt.No. 557, PR&RD (Vig.IA) Dept., dt. 07.04.2012.

ORDER:

In the references 2nd to 4th read above, charges were framed under Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 against the following personnel, for the irregularities in "Providing BT to the Road from Medikonduru to Varagani (via) Velevarthipadu, Saripudu, Siripuram in Medikonduru Mandal" in Guntur District.

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- 1. S. Govardhan Reddy, Executive Engineer, PR, Guntur
- 2. M.V. Mallikarjuna Rao, Deputy Executive Engineer, PR, Guntur
- 3. M. Sai Babu, the then Asst. Executive Engineer, PR, Guntur
- 2. In response to the above charges, all the (3) Charged Officers have submitted their written statements of defence, vide references 5^{th} to 7^{th} read above.
- 3. After examining the written statements of defence submitted by the (3) charged officers, Government have decided to conduct regular enquiry into the matter against all the (3) charged officers mentioned at para-1 above, under Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 and accordingly, Government hereby appoint Sri Lingaraj Panigrahi, IAS., Commissioner of Inquiries, General Administration Department, as Enquiry Officer under Rule 20(2) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 to conduct enquiry against the above (3) charged officers.
- 4. Government also hereby appoint the Superintending Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Guntur as Presenting Officer to present the case before the Enquiry Officer, under Rule 20(5)(c) of A.P.Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991.

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- 5. The Presenting Officer shall acquaint himself with the facts of the case and present the case before the Enquiry Officer effectively. He is also requested to obtain and produce documents, if any, required by the Enquiry Officer, during the course of enquiry.
- 6. The Enquiry Officer is requested to conduct enquiry strictly in terms of Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Service (CC&A) Rules, 1991 and submit his report as required under sub-rule 18(ii) of the above said rule. Copies of the charge Memos issued to the Delinquent Officers and the Written Statements of Defence submitted by them are herewith furnished to the Enquiry Officer as required under Rule 20(7) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

C.R. BISWAL PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Sri Lingaraj Panigrahi, IAS., Commissioner of Inquiries,

General Administration Department & Enquiry Officer (w.e.)

The Superintending Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Guntur & Presenting Officer. Copy to:

The Individuals through Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad.

The Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad.

The G.A.(V&E) Department.

(Vigilance Report No.82 (C.No.1449/V&E/E2/2007-1), dt. 19.07.2010)

The Secretary to VC, APVC, Hyderabad.

The G.A.(COI.R) Dept.

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SECTION OFFICER